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In re application of:

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Appln. No.: 09/237,183

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For: **NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES  
AND OTHER MOLECULES  
ASSOCIATED WITH THE  
SUCROSE PATHWAY**

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Dear Sir:

The attention of the Examiner is invited to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the information above be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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